

**SA 4995.** Mr. JOHNSON (for himself and Mr. SCOTT of Florida) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2471, to measure the progress of post-disaster recovery and efforts to address corruption, governance, rule of law, and media freedoms in Haiti; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

**SEC. \_\_\_\_ . REQUIRING STATES, TERRITORIES, AND LOCALITIES TO USE COVID RELIEF FUNDS IN A TIMELY MANNER; LIFTING RESTRICTIONS ON STATE TAX LAWS.**

(a) IN GENERAL.—Title VI of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 801 et seq.) is amended—

(1) in section 602—

(A) in subsection (a)(1), by striking “December 31, 2024” and inserting “December 31, 2022”; and

(B) in subsection (c)—

(i) in paragraph (1), in the matter preceding subparagraph (A)—

(I) by striking “Subject to paragraph (2), and except as provided in paragraph (3)” and inserting “Except as provided in paragraphs (2) and (3)”; and

(II) by striking “December 31, 2024” and inserting “December 31, 2022”; and

(ii) by striking paragraph (2) and redesignating paragraphs (3) and (4) as paragraphs (2) and (3), respectively;

(C) in subsection (d)(2)(A), by striking “, including, in the case of a State or a territory, all modifications to the State’s or territory’s tax revenue sources during the covered period”;

(D) in subsection (e), by striking “, provided that, in the case of a violation of subsection (c)(2)(A)” and all that follows through “section 603(c)(4)”; and

(E) in subsection (g), by striking paragraph (1) and redesignating paragraphs (2) through (7) as paragraphs (1) through (6), respectively; and

(2) in section 603—

(A) in subsection (a), by striking “December 31, 2024” and inserting “December 31, 2022”; and

(B) in subsection (c)(1), by striking “December 31, 2024” and inserting “December 31, 2022”.

(b) **USE OF UNEXPENDED COVID RELIEF FUNDS FOR DEFICIT REDUCTION.**—Any funds provided to a State, territory, Tribal government, metropolitan city, nonentitlement unit of local government, or county under section 602 or 603 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 802, 803) that are unexpended on January 1, 2023, shall revert to the Treasury and be deposited in the general fund of the Treasury for the sole purpose of deficit reduction.

(c) **TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS.**—Section 603(c)(3) of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 803(c)(3)) and paragraph (2) of section 602(c) of such Act (42 U.S.C. 802(c)) (as redesignated by subsection (a)(1)(B)(ii)) are each amended by striking “paragraph (17) of”.

**SA 4996.** Mr. MARSHALL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2471, to measure the progress of post-disaster recovery and efforts to address corruption, governance, rule of law, and media freedoms in Haiti; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

**SEC. \_\_\_\_ . PROHIBITION ON USE OF AMOUNTS TO IMPLEMENT OR ENFORCE MASK MANDATES OF DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE.**

No amounts appropriated under this Act or any other provision of law may be used to implement or enforce any requirement of the Department of Defense that individuals wear a mask to prevent the spread of the coronavirus disease 2019 (commonly referred to as “COVID-19”) in indoor settings in installations and other facilities owned, leased, or otherwise controlled by the Department.

**SA 4997.** Ms. ERNST submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by her to the bill H.R. 2471, to measure the progress of post-disaster recovery and efforts to address corruption, governance, rule of law, and media freedoms in Haiti; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

**DIVISION \_\_\_\_—PROVIDING REPORTS ON INFLATIONS COSTS AND ECONOMIC IMPACT ACT**

**SEC. 1. SHORT TITLE.**

This Act may be cited as the “Providing Reports on Inflation Costs and Economic Impact Act” or the “PRICE Act”.

**SEC. 2. POINT OF ORDER REQUIRING AN INFLATION IMPACT REPORT WITH ANY LEGISLATION THAT MAKES DISCRETIONARY APPROPRIATIONS.**

(a) **POINT OF ORDER.**—It shall not be in order in the Senate to consider a bill, joint resolution, motion, amendment, amendment between the Houses, or conference report making discretionary appropriations (as defined in section 250(c) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 (2 U.S.C. 900(c))) unless an inflation impact report by the Congressional Budget Office with respect to the measure is submitted for publication in the Congressional Record, including an analysis of the impact the measure would have on—

(1) the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the Department of Labor;

(2) the Employment Cost Index for private industry workers published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics; and

(3) the purchasing power of consumers, including a comparison of the impact described in paragraph (1) and the impact described in paragraph (2).

(b) **SUPERMAJORITY WAIVER AND APPEALS.**—

(1) **WAIVER.**—This section may be waived or suspended in the Senate only by the affirmative vote of three-fifths of the Members, duly chosen and sworn.

(2) **APPEALS.**—Appeals in the Senate from the decisions of the Chair relating to any provision of this section shall be limited to 1 hour, to be equally divided between, and controlled by, the appellant and the manager of the bill or joint resolution, as the case may be. An affirmative vote of three-fifths of the Members of the Senate, duly chosen and sworn, shall be required to sustain an appeal of the ruling of the Chair on a point of order raised under this section.

**SA 4998.** Ms. ERNST submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by her to the bill H.R. 2471, to measure the progress of post-disaster recovery and efforts to address corruption, governance, rule of law, and media freedoms in Haiti; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

**DIVISION \_\_\_\_—COST ACT**

**SEC. 1. SHORT TITLE.**

This Act may be cited as the “Cost Openness and Spending Transparency Act of 2021” or the “COST Act”.

**SEC. 2. DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS FOR RECIPIENTS OF FEDERAL FUNDS.**

(a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter III of chapter 13 of title 31, United States Code, is amended by adding at the end the following:

**“§ 1356. Disclosure requirements for recipients of Federal funds**

“(a) IN GENERAL.—An individual or entity (including a State or local government and a recipient of a Federal research grant) carrying out a program, project, or activity that is, in whole or in part, carried out using Federal funds shall clearly state in any statement, press release, request for proposals, bid solicitation, or other document describing the program, project, or activity, other than a communication containing not more than 280 characters—

“(1) the percentage of the total costs of the program, project, or activity which will be financed with Federal funds;

“(2) the dollar amount of the Federal funds made available for the program, project, or activity; and

“(3) the percentage of the total costs of, and dollar amount for, the program, project, or activity that will be financed by non-governmental sources.

“(b) NONCOMPLIANCE.—If the Director of the Office of Management and Budget determines that an individual or entity is failing to comply with subsection (a), the Director may direct the head of each agency providing Federal funds to the individual or entity to withhold not more than 25 percent of the amount of Federal funds that would otherwise be provided to the individual or entity, until the date on which the individual or entity complies with subsection (a).”.

(b) **TECHNICAL AND CONFORMING AMENDMENT.**—The table of sections for subchapter III of chapter 13 of title 31, United States Code, is amended by adding at the end the following:

“1356. Disclosure requirements for recipients of Federal funds.”.

**SA 4999.** Ms. ERNST submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by her to the bill H.R. 2471, to measure the progress of post-disaster recovery and efforts to address corruption, governance, rule of law, and media freedoms in Haiti; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

**SEC. \_\_\_\_ . REPORT REGARDING ACCESS TO CAPITAL FOR SMALL BUSINESSES.**

Not later than 1 year after the date of enactment of this Act, the Administrator of the Small Business Administration shall submit to Congress a report that—

(1) provides a description of the effect of inflation and supply chain disruption during the 3-year period ending on the date of enactment of this Act on the cost to small business concerns (as defined under section 3 of the Small Business Act (15 U.S.C. 636)) of obtaining access to capital, disaggregated by industry; and

(2) makes recommendations, in partnership with the Office of Advocacy of the Small Business Administration, on how to support access to capital for small business concerns involved in domestic manufacturing, agriculture, and production of technologies listed on the Critical and Emerging Technologies List issued by the National Security Council, or any successor thereto.